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DOCTOR DIAGNOSES CASE AS DRUNK; ARRESTS MAN

John Wade Hamilton, Official Dog
Washer, Comes to a
Sorry End.

INSISTS THAT HE IS HURT

Bicycleman Hull and Griffin got the credit for an arrest last night, but they didn't make it. Dr. Kenneth Jeffries, of the City Dispensary, made the arrest and the "arrestee" was John Wade Hamilton, a colored gentleman of uncertain years, who had taken an uncertain quantity of liquor and who was intoxicated certainly.

John Wade secured the position as official dog washer for the owner of a dog residing on Senate avenue. Yesterday evening John Wade had the dog carefully and returned the animal to its mistress. In attempting to descend the stairs John Wade fell and scratched his head. A burly call was sent for the ambulance and Dr. Jeffries took John Wade to the dispensary. He examined him carefully, but could find no injuries. John kept insisting that he was not drunk until the doctor decided he was. Turnkey Lowe agreed with the doctor's diagnosis and John was removed from his injuries (?) in a cell.

MINERS WILL VOTE ON OFFER OF COMPROMISE MADE BY OPERATORS

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upon his desire to save the interstate movement, which is dear to his heart and which means so much to the miners' organization. The operators presented their terms with the understanding that they had made their final concession and that it is to be accepted or rejected; consequently if it is rejected the inter-state movement will be broken up. The miners' organization claims that it will mean the disruption of the inter-state movement and a loss of power and progress to the miners. Several operators said that their concession was made in order to keep the movement intact.

IOWA MINE WORKERS TO BE LED BY WHITE

DES MOINES, Ia., March 4.—By the largest vote for president in the history of the association, John P. White, a labor leader from Okaloosa, captured that office and placed himself at the head of the United Mine Workers of Iowa to-day. The committee on resolutions reported unfavorably on the proposition that the association favorably to the establishing of postal savings banks by the government.

CITY NEWS NOTES.

Frank W. Olen, chairman of the membership committee of the Commercial Club, gave his official family dinner at the clubrooms last night.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday by Charles E. Posey, an oil well digger, of Marion. He places his liabilities at \$1,627 and assets, \$100.

The Indiana Mirror Company yesterday delivered to Art Dealer Hermann a mirror sixteen feet high and five feet wide. This is one of the largest ever turned out.

Dr. C. R. Fletcher will give an illustrated lecture at the Y. W. C. A. this evening on "A Trip Through England." Each member of the association is allowed to invite two guests.

The Sunday-school teachers who are taking a series of studies on the "Boy of the Lasso," under Rev. A. B. Philpott, will meet this afternoon at 4:15 in the Y. W. C. A. building.

A fire of unknown origin destroyed the stable in the rear of 730 North West street about 9 o'clock last night. The stable was owned by J. W. Carr, who estimated his loss at \$300.

The musical services that were instituted at the church since the death of the late Terian Church on Sunday evenings are to be continued for some time, as they have proved attractive and well attended.

On Thursday evening Bishop Francis read a paper on "Chinese and Japanese Race Characteristics" to the pupils and teachers of Knickerbocker Hall. A number of the friends of the school were present.

George H. Rice, a merchant of Mitchell, Ind., residing through the courtesy of Harvey Pickens, Cox and Kahn, filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are \$1,788.28 and assets, \$120. His accounts are mostly with Chicago firms.

Mrs. Lucretia Stephens will give a social at her home, 625 South Alabama street, Tuesday afternoon, March 8, for the benefit of George H. Thomas W. R. C. Mrs. Stephens will be assisted by Zephia Peak, Margaret Sulgrave, Ida S. McDuffie, Ella D. Zion and C. Rose Hampton.

A Steady Slugger

Coffee

In ways people
fail to understand

With many persons it sets up stomach disease and directly congests the liver thus causing yellow skin, bad breath, constipation and extreme nervousness and frequently heart trouble. One can find out exactly how much coffee has to do with bad feeling and sickness, by leaving it off entirely for 10 days. Drink Postum (well made) in its place and note the change in feeling. That's an easy way to fix the guilt on the "fellow" that is silently and in a most stealthy manner doing deadly work.

If health and the ability to "do things" are worth anything at all it certainly is worth such a test, attended by no inconvenience whatever, on the contrary one feels better from the beginning.

It may solve your problem.

WANT BETTER SERVICE AND A BETTER BRIDGE

West-Siders Permanently Organized in Commercial Club—Directors Instructed.

FOR A NEW FACTORY

Permanent organization of the West Indianapolis Commercial Club was effected last night at the University club and exchanged tales and reminiscences of bygone days, and joined in singing the praises of their alma mater. The occasion was the annual dinner given by the Indianapolis Washburn Alumni association on the night of the celebration of Washington's birthday.

The preliminary organization of the club was effected at a meeting held several weeks ago at the Washburn engine house, and the organizers have been busy at work since that time perfecting plans for putting the club on a permanent working basis. This work was practically completed last evening.

Officers of the club were elected as follows:

President—Ed Conway.

First Vice President—A. Morgan.

Second Vice President—F. W. Helt.

Secretary—E. R. Hisey.

Treasurer—J. W. McGraw.

Directors for Three Years—William F. Borman, H. T. Garvey, Henry Friedman.

Directors for Two Years—Counsellman Fay Wright, H. D. Brooks.

Directors for One Year—Dr. E. S. Alexander, N. D. Grubb.

The board of directors was instructed to take some immediate action toward securing for West Indianapolis better street-car service, more cars on better schedules and especially better connections at the River avenue bridge. The same board was instructed to meet with the committee of promoters now at work negotiating for the establishment in Indianapolis of a new watch factory, with the end in view of purchasing the factory to locate in West Indianapolis.

MOTHER WANTS TO KEEP PROSPECTIVE SON-IN-LAW

Police Are Asked to Aid, Cupid and Keep Back Stern Father of Young Lover.

NOT THEIR BUSINESS

"The course of true love never runs smooth" is an old saying and the little dog of love received a jolt last night down at Norwood. The small party usually represented as wearing a few less clothes than a modern poster picture and carrying a small howl and some arrows was badly frightened, but at last reports had stood to his post and love again went out. An effort was made to have the police assist him in, but Desk Sergeant Corrigan decided that policemen have enough troubles without mixing in love affairs.

An excited voice, belonging to a woman and an angry one, too, told the story to the sergeant as follows: "I want the bicycle immediately. What's that? Where am I? Why, I'm in Norwood. Never mind what I want them for, you send 'em and tell 'em to hurry, you hear." The sergeant heard "My dear woman," he began, but he didn't finish. "You send them three bikes right away. What's the matter? Well, the young man keeps coming with a young man and his father don't want him to go with her. Well, he's at my home with her and his old man is going to come and get him. You hustle them bike cops." With a weary sigh and remark not exactly a prayer, the sergeant hung up the receiver.

FATHER SWEARS BEFORE COURT TO DO BETTER

Sad Tale of Lad Made to Steal Coal to Keep Family from Freezing.

A pathetic case of a poorly governed and disciplined home was aired in juvenile court yesterday when Oda Barnett, twelve years of age, was tried on a charge of petty larceny. It developed that the father, an employee at Kingman's, was an habitual drunkard and that the most of his wages were used in satisfying his desire for drink, at the sacrifice of his home and family.

The boy testified that during the winter he kept to the railroad tracks by his mother to get what coal he could from the cars on the tracks. The boy was taken from his home and put under the care of a probation officer. Judge Stubbs severely reprimanded the father, who with tears streaming down his cheeks, promised the court that his son would have a better man, make every effort to quit his drinking, and pay more attention to his home and family.

PRAYS AND CURSES IN SAME BREATH

Insane Franklin Youth on Way Back Home with His Father—Paces Cell.

Alternately praying and cursing, blaspheming and then calling upon heaven to help him, Merrill Demaree, once well known in Franklin, where his parents now reside, paced back and forth or struggled desperately in his insane efforts to get outside of the bars in a gloomy cell at police station last night.

Insane over religion, the young man's case is pitiful. Several years ago he left his home in Franklin and went West. Recently word was received by the father that his son was insane and he immediately went to Grand Junction, Col., where the boy was living to bring him home. The change to one companion and his insane son, reached this city yesterday morning and the boy was locked up at police station, awaiting the action of an insanity commission which will meet to-day.

MANY GUESTS AT LODGE INITIATION

Queen Esther Chapter, No. 3, Order of the Eastern Star, held a grand stated meeting at the Masonic Hall last night. Miss Lillian Gatch, past grand matron, of Kansas, was the guest of honor. Grand Matron Gatch was to have made an official inspection of the order, but was detained at her home in Crawfordsville by sickness.

Nancy Gatch, of this city, was also entertained by Queen Esther Chapter. Zion Chapter, of Zionsville, the new Augusta chapter and chapters from Ellettsville, Indiana and Michigan were represented. Degrees were conferred upon two candidates for initiation.

The banquet room was tastefully decorated in the colors of the order.

Death of Mrs. J. W. Hewitt.

Mrs. Sarah D. Hewitt, the wife of James W. Hewitt, traveling auditor of the Big Four Railroad Company, died at 6:40 o'clock yesterday evening at the family home, 1602 North Delaware street. Death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Hewitt was fifty-five years old and was well known in the city. The husband and three children, two boys and one girl—Allen W., of New York city, James and Cora, of this city, survive. Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed.

LOYAL MEN OF OLD WABASH LIVE OVER COLLEGE DAYS

James Whitcomb Riley and Meredith Nicholson Sit at Banquet Table.

FUTURE OF THE SCHOOL

Forty loyal alumni of Wabash College gathered around the banquet table last night at the University club and exchanged tales and reminiscences of bygone days, and joined in singing the praises of their alma mater. The occasion was the annual dinner given by the Indianapolis Washburn Alumni association on the night of the celebration of Washington's birthday.

The guests of honor were James Whitcomb Riley and Meredith Nicholson, and with them were a number of the prominent and representative men of the city and State. The dinner was rather an informal affair. All of the toasts carried back the memory of those present to the time when they were students in college at Crawfordsville.

The recent class "senior" was referred to, and the local newspapers came in for a bit of sarcasm for the prominence of the class was given. It was suggested by Dr. W. P. Kane that it was evidence in itself because of the national prominence that the newspapers had given the recent struggles to the war in the East that the college was coming to be known as a power. Speaking seriously, he said that Wabash at the present was in the most prosperous condition of its history. He congratulated the present student body, and spoke of them as worthy successors of those whom they were following.

Meredith Nicholson jested at the expense of the "twice-made Dr. James Whitcomb Riley," and related some incidents of his recent trip to the University of Pennsylvania, where the last honorary degree was bestowed.

Charles W. Moores, as toastmaster, called on the following, who responded to toasts: Arthur Ferguson, Harry J. Morgan, John L. Kingsbury, President W. P. Kane, George L. Mackintosh, Professors Tuttle, McElaine, Rudine Kent, and Dr. H. H. Borden, treasurer of the college. George Denney responded with some musical selections.

EDGEYS BOUND OVER FOR THE MURDER OF CORCORAN

Appears Little Concerned Over Court's Action—Has Been Arrested Dozen of Times.

WITNESSES TESTIFY

For the murder of Patrick Corcoran, known better as "Corky Pat," James Edgey yesterday morning was bound over to the grand jury from Police court. Edgey appeared little concerned over the outcome of his trial and had regained much of the blustering bravery he exhibited at police station when first arrested before it was known he was implicated in the death of Corcoran.

John Murphy, bartender in Mulholland's saloon at 420 West Maryland street, testified that on the night of the murder Edgey was in the saloon. Corcoran was seated on an empty keg and was hit and knocked down by Edgey, who claimed Corcoran said something about him. Corcoran walked out of the saloon and was followed by Edgey. As the men stepped from the front door of the saloon Edgey struck Corcoran, knocking him down and fracturing his skull. The injury resulted in the death of the man. Dr. Eisenberg, who attended Corcoran during the three days he lay unconscious before his death, also testified describing the nature of the injury.

DENY ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO DEFRAUD

Stockholders in Holt Company Answer Charge Made by Henry C. G. Bals.

In regard to the suit filed recently by Henry C. G. Bals asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Holt Ice and Cold Storage Company, an answer was filed yesterday by the defendants in which it is denied that Sterling R. Holt, John R. Wilson, James L. Keach and M. A. Downing entered a conspiracy to defraud Mr. Bals or any other of the stockholders. It was also denied that the affairs of the company had been mismanaged and was shown that all of the expenditures on the plant had been entered upon the books and that they would show such statements at this time.

It was admitted that for the payment of the grounds upon which the plant was erected stock to the amount of \$18,000 had been issued to M. A. Downing. It was also admitted that the business of the company had fallen off from year to year and that the expenses had increased due to the general advance in the cost of fuel, supplies and the cost of labor.

Judgment for \$14,798, With Only \$188 Assets

With only \$188 assets a judgment for \$14,798 was rendered yesterday by Judge Leathers, of the Superior Court, against the Commercial Insurance Company in favor of the Marion Trust Company as receiver for the Vernon Insurance Company. The claim was admitted to be just, but Attorney Roemer, for the Commercial Company, thought it would be breaking a hard ship upon the plaintiffs to demand payment for the amount and at the same time satisfy a number of other creditors out of the small amount.

Saloon Keeper Held Not Responsible for Death

In the case of Mary A. Lucas as administratrix of the estate of John V. Little, against John W. Little for \$19,000 damages the jury yesterday returned a verdict for the defendant.

The husband was killed while in an intoxicated condition a few years ago at Cumbria, Ind., and Little was made the defendant in the suit on the ground that he had sold the deceased liquor after he had become intoxicated. This is the second time that the case has been tried, the first trial the jury disagreeing.

THE COURT RECORD. SUPERIOR COURT.

Room 1—John L. McMaster, Judge.

Room 2—Hon. James M. Leathers, Judge.

Room 3—Hon. John A. Traction and Terminal Company damages. Jury return verdict for defendant.

Room 4—Schepkorster vs. Chas. Schepkorster et al.; restraining order. On trial by jury.

Room 5—Vinson Carter, Judge.

Damages, \$25,000. John L. Ketcham, Jr. vs. McElwaine-Richards Company. On trial by jury.

On motion of Charles W. Moores, Lewis G. Richardson was appointed receiver for the bar.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Henry Clay Allen, Judge.

Israel Pollock vs. Street Railway Company. Evidence considered. Arguments heard.

Mary A. Lucas vs. John W. Little. Jury returns and returns verdict for defendant.

LIFE OF PRINCE SAVED BY DEATH OF A SNAKE

Sentence of Death for Slayer of South African Declared Null by German Military Court.

POLITICS IN THE CASE

BERLIN, March 4.—The military court of the First Guards Division, which yesterday began inquiry into the sanity of Lieutenant Prince Prosper Von Arenberg, who is serving a term of imprisonment for the murder of a native, suspected of being a British spy, while commander of a station in German Southwest Africa, to-day decided that the prince was mentally irresponsible when he committed the murder, and therefore declared the sentence of death and subsequent commutation to fifteen years imprisonment to be null.

The court listened all day long to the reading of the testimony on which the prince was convicted, dealing exclusively with the killing of the native, "Willie" Cain, who was arrested on the prince's suspicion that Cain meant to assassinate him. The testimony showed that the prince shot Cain with a private revolver, and caused a soldier to run a bayonet through Cain's heart, the prince himself taking the court, apathetically listening to the reading of the testimony. It is understood that the prince's family will place a large sum of money at the disposal of the court, to be used for the prince's maintenance.

The case excites the deepest interest in Germany, and a Socialist who heard the testimony of the court, said: "That means 10,000 more votes for us."

LIFE STORY AS TOLD BY "LORD" BARRINGTON

Accused Murderer of James McCann Reluctantly Divulges a Little Information of His Past.

TALKS OF THE CRIME

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 4.—After examination of a number of witnesses for the defense in the trial of "Lord" Barrington, for the alleged murder of James McCann, the defendant himself took the stand late today and continued to give testimony to the night session of court. "Lord" Barrington was apparently unwilling to divulge much information concerning his past, and it was only by rigid questioning that he made known the following: He testified that his real name is Frederick Augustus Barrington Seymour; that he had never posed as an English nobleman; that he was born in India and had spent a number of years before Court Clerk Rardin and was a war correspondent during the South African war. He denied emphatically that he was Burton, a noted English cork, or had gone under the alias of "Burgoyne." He said his mother's name was Barrington, but refused to explain how his last name was "Barrington."

"Barrington" said McCann had invited him to go to Bonifia with him on the night of June 17 to meet some friends at a party. He left the party and started down the path somebody whistled and McCann whistled in response. "Only one man was set upon by assassins and both were knocked down. Barrington fought with the assassins in the dark and was struck and senseless and laid in that condition until dawn. He could not find McCann and proceeded to walk toward the house where he went to McCann's home and told Mrs. McCann of the assault.

It is expected the defense will conclude tomorrow forenoon and the case will go to the jury before evening.

LEAP YEAR GIRLS FOUND HUSBANDS

Young Women Secured the Marriage Licenses and Managed the Details.

MATTOON, Ill., March 4.—Behind the double wedding of Miss May Menou and Emory Cartwright and of Miss Maude Safford and J. R. Pedigo lies a story of the much-talked-of privilege of leap year; a story of how the prerogative was exercised by two young women establishing a precedent for their more timid sisters. But Cupid alone knows the story of the courtship and conquest of the young men and he will not tell.

Then the young women presented themselves before County Clerk Rardin and requested marriage license blanks he was taken by surprise and only after much questioning and some confusion were the coveted pieces of paper properly filled out and turned over to the first leap year girls in the county.

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BROTHER RELEASED TO TAKE BODY HOME

A telegram was received last night from Mrs. Murphy, mother of James Murphy, who died in the county jail, asking that the body be shipped to the man's former home at Jonesboro, Mass., at her expense.

The brother of the dead man, who also was in jail, has been released, and will accompany the remains to their former home.

Presidential Timber Speaks.

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Wire Case in Judge's Hands.

John R. Bennett, of New York, attorney for the Columbia Wire Company in its suit against the Kokomo Steel and Wire Company, closed his case yesterday afternoon and the case is now in the hands of Judge Anderson. The Kokomo company's attorneys, closed his argument in the forenoon.

Wanted to Take Fortune.

The police yesterday were asked to locate, if possible, Frank Hurt, supposed to be in this city. His half brother, W. S. Garnett, died recently at Riverfront, Ill., and left a considerable estate to Hurt.

Marines for the Philippines.

PHILADELPHIA, March 4.—Two hundred marines from the League island navy were sent to San Francisco, to be sent to the Philippines. The party included thirty-eight men from Annapolis.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancake flour is in town—fresh and delicious as ever.

SIXTEEN VICTIMS OF NEW YORK HOTEL WRECK

Another Body Is Recovered from Ruins of the Darlington Apartment Building.

MORE BODIES IN DEBRIS

NEW YORK, March 4.—With the recovery of the unidentified body of a man the remains of the sixteen victims of the Darlington Hotel accident was removed from the debris of the wrecked building this evening. Shortly before noon the body of Louis Ackerman, the fifteenth victim of the catastrophe, the last of those which had been visible in the wreckage for some time, was removed from the ruins of the building. The body of William R. Greene, the missing formaldehyde dealer, was supported to be somewhere in the wreckage. Twelve of the injured were still in the hospitals to-day. Only one of them is in a critical condition.

Charles Lasck, a cement worker, who was taken from the wreckage this morning, died yesterday while being taken to Flower Hospital.

The finding of a live human being amidst the mass of iron work, brick and mortar was, perhaps, the most sensational thing of the kind in the history of similar disasters here.

That several bodies, possibly nine or ten, are still buried in the ruins of the wrecked apartment building is the opinion of Coroner Scholler, expressed to-day after a conference with Foreman Halpin, of the front workers' building, and Joseph Yeaman, walking delegate of the Asphalt and Cement Workers' Union. The fact that Lasck was still alive when taken from the ruins this morning and that the body of Alexander L. Johnston, taken out late last night, showed evidence of recent death, gave hope that other victims might be rescued alive.

Eugene A. Allison, of the Allison Realty Company, general contractors for the Darlington Hotel, and William O'Hara, who supervised the construction of the ill-fated building on behalf of Nevins & Baggs, architects, surrendered themselves to Coroner Scholler this afternoon and were admitted to bail in the sum of \$5,000 each.

LIMA SEVERELY SHAKEN BY HEAVY EARTHQUAKE

Walls of Business Houses and Residences Shaken, but No Lives Reported Lost.

VOLCANOE IN ERUPTION

LIMA, Peru, March 4.—A tremendous earthquake, which did much damage, occurred here at 5:20 o'clock this morning. Nothing comparable to it had been experienced during the last thirty years. No lives were lost. The principal damage was the cracking of the walls of business and residential structures.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The Peruvian legation to-night received the following answer from the government of Peru to a dispatch inquiring about the earthquake felt there yesterday: "A simple strong earthquake without loss of lives. Slight damage in private houses. Americans are not affected in any way at all."

Lima is somewhat subject to earthquakes. The most destructive was in 1746, when more than one thousand persons perished and the city was nearly destroyed. It was also the scene of earthquakes in 1858, 1859, 1888, 1893 and 1901. There was no loss of life as a result of the earthquakes of the last two years mentioned.

Comora Volcanoes Active.

PARIS, March 4.—Mail advices received at Madagascar Mayotte, Comora Islands, say that three craters of the great Comora Islands have been in continuous eruption since Feb. 25. There have been some victims among the natives.

IRISH-GROWN TOBACCO.

Fresh Effort to Produce a Marketable Crop.

LONDON, March 4.—Will Irish-grown tobacco ever equal the famous brands of the "Willis, the Players, and the Hibernians? And will the Flor de Hibernia vie with the choicest Havanna? Mr. William Redmond, M. P., is sanguine, and in company with the Irish Agricultural Department is doing much good work towards creating this new Irish industry.

Speaking to the parliamentary correspondent of the Daily Mail, Mr. Redmond said: "Sir Horace Plunkett, who owns a ranch out in the States, and goes there every year, will shortly return and bring with him, I believe, an expert to advise about tobacco growing in Ireland. The small experiments which have already been made prove that a certain class grows splendidly in Ireland. It does not yet, of course, compete with the finer products of Virginia, but it has been demonstrated that with care and experience it may be made a very saleable article."

The small experiments which have been made proving so successful, planting on a much larger scale over some hundreds of acres will now be tried. Sir H. Wills, the chairman of the Imperial Tobacco Company, regards the matter with benevolent interest, and the chancellor of the exchequer has agreed to give an abatement of one shilling per pound off the excise duty on Irish-grown tobacco.

"This year's extensive experiments will take place in Meath and Wexford, and I may remind you that it was down there, at Youghal, where he lived, that Sir Walter Raleigh grew the first tobacco planted in these islands. All these plantings are illegal under the act of 1821, and I am introducing a bill to render legal that which the authorities now have to wink at."

Contributions will be received until including Thursday, March 10

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EDWIN DROOD MYSTERY CONTEST

One Hundred Dollars in Cash Prizes Will Be Paid to Journal Readers

The Journal offers \$100 in prizes for the best solution of the mystery left unsolved by the death of the great English novelist, Charles Dickens.

The last work of Mr. Dickens was a story entitled "The Mystery of Edwin Drood." The great tale teller had woven a tangled skein of mystery around the tragic disappearance of an unfortunate young man of wealth. The novel promised to be one of the greatest of Dickens's works. But before he had completed the book death overtook the author, and no man knows what the end was to have been.

Monday, Feb. 8, the Journal began the publication as a serial story "The Mystery of Edwin Drood." Every man and woman, boy and girl in Indiana may enter the competition for the solution prizes. The terms